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1. The applicant's reply to the restriction requirement remains incomplete. Although the applicant has elected Species (6), he has failed to properly identify the claims associated therewith. Rather, the applicant identifies all of the claims of Invention I, claims 1-32 and 38-61, as being directed to Species (6). This is not a proper response. If all of the claims of Invention I were directed to the same species, no election of species requirement would have been necessary. As pointed out in the applicant's specification on pages 3-4, the invention may be practiced by considering one of these factors for determining the likelihood of the use of each visible satellite including: (1) the angle of elevation from the mobile to each visible satellite, (2) an elevation model, (3) a geometrical spread, (4) general type of terrain likely to be encountered, and (5) historical data relating to successful acquisition of satellite signals, or (6) a combination of the above factors. The applicant has selected the use of a combination of the factors as denoted by the election of Species (6). However, the identification of all of the claims is not readable on such; for example, claim 2 does not require a combination of criteria factors.

2. Thus, in response to this Office Action, Applicant is required to identify those claims which are readable on Species (6), wherein the embodiment is directed to the use of a combination of factors.

3. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Gregory C. Issing whose telephone number is (571)-272-6973. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday - Thursday 6:00 AM- 4:30 PM.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Thomas Tarcza can be reached on (571)-272-6979. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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